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The rush for underwear is now at its height. We have provided liberally and can supply your wants at special reduced prices.

50c Men's Heavy fleeced shirts and drawers, four colors, garment	39c
\$1.25 Men's all wool flannel shirt and drawers, two colors, garment	89c
50c Boys' heavy fleeced shirts and drawers, brown colors, garment	25c
35c Ladies' extra heavy fleeced ribbed underwear, two colors, garment	25c

This Week the Fall Sale of Skirts

Complete styles showing for the season. A sale planned for this time, week in advance—to insure a popularity for our skirt department second to none. We shall offer the most unusual attractions in skirt styles.

The Best Skirt Values in Clarksburg

\$2.50, \$3.00 and \$3.50 Panama Skirts in all colors, made up in the latest models. Special	\$1.95	\$3.50 and \$4.00 Panama Skirts, made in all colors, cut extra wide, all new models. Special	\$2.98
\$4.50, \$5.00 and \$6.00 Chiffon Panamas and Voiles, in plain and fancy colors. Special	\$3.95	\$6.50, \$7.00 and \$7.50 extra fine quality of Chiffon silk and all wool voiles in various colors. Special	\$4.98

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RIDDER FORESAW BRYAN'S DEFEAT

Democratic National Treasurer Told Bryan He Could Not Win at Polls.

NEW YORK, Oct. 15.—Conservative Democrats, who for years have observed the hostility of Herman Ridder, treasurer of the Democratic National Committee, toward William Jennings Bryan, are amazed at the sudden friendship that seems to have sprung up between Mr. Bryan and the proprietor of the Staats-Zeitung. Not only has Ridder in past years expressed his antipathy for Bryan to his friends, but in the editorial columns of his German newspaper has fought the Nebraskan with bitterness.

Ridder was opposed to the nomination of Bryan for the Presidency. Friends of his say that Ridder made a special trip to Lincoln, Neb., to urge the "perpetual candidate for the presidency" not to permit his name to go before the Denver convention. He is reported to have told Bryan frankly that his re-nomination meant sure defeat for the Democratic party at the polls. He pointed out to him, it is asserted, that Mr. Bryan could not carry New York State, has begged him to use his influence to nominate Judge Gray of Delaware.

What Ridder formerly thought of the intensity of his feelings toward the Nebraskan are well illustrated by excerpts from editorials which, from time to time, have appeared in the Staats-Zeitung. Here are a few of them:

"Only a few intimate friends and blind admirers of Bryan are still willing to follow him. The miserable miseries of the man who would again incite the masses cannot retard this process. Bryan's strenuous activity will hasten his annihilation."

"It has become shown that the Democracy has not succeeded in regaining the confidence of the people, which it lost through its surrender to Bryanism."—Nov. 9, 1904.

"We deem a Republican victory less dangerous for the country than the election of Bryan."—Oct. 8, 1904.

"The East is too conservative and level-headed to give a majority to a man (Bryan) who on economical questions is ignorant and who, prompted by his confused notions, would grasp the first opportunity to cause a terrible catastrophe."—Sept. 25, 1900.

"Bryanism is by no means Democracy, but the exact contrary. Rather, it is a demagogism which is wholly alien to the spirit of the Democratic party."—Nov. 3, 1900.

"William J. Bryan possesses nothing but a gift to influence minds."—Nov. 8, 1900.

"Nothing better could happen to the party than to get rid of its incubus."—June 29, 1904.

"Bryan has been chastised. Well, our nation has been chastised with Bryan."—Nov. 8, 1900.

"William J. Bryan made a sensational speech in Jerusalem. The Holy Land shall bestow another crown of thorns upon him."—May 18, 1906.

Taft and Bryan Contrasted.
In a letter Frederick W. Whitridge, the New York lawyer, weighs with a very just balance Mr. Taft and Mr. Bryan as to their equipment for the office of President of the United States. In speaking of Mr. Bryan he says: "To my mind, although he is a respectable man, it is plain that he is unfitted to be President of the United States. He has had no experience in affairs. I cannot find that he has any settled principles or that he believes in anything, although it can be shown from his utterances that, within the time he has been upon the boards, he has professed a belief in everything which anybody has advocated during that period. To me the idea of Mr. Bryan and his entourage in the White House is a grotesque and colossal joke."

"Mr. Taft, on the other hand, is a man of sound training, and an unusually wide experience, and is in all quarters confessedly fitted thereby, and by his temperament to occupy and fill the high position to which I believe he is called. There is not in our time been another candidate whose life and history have so apparently fitted him to be President of the United States as Mr. Taft."

First Voters For Taft.
Clubs are being formed of first Taft voters. At East Orange, N. J., the new club of first voters has reached a membership of seventy-five. These eligibles hold their meetings at the Taft Club's rooms. Arrangements are being made for an active campaign, in which the new club will participate. Enthusiasm shown by the first voters indicates a great drift in the younger generation everywhere toward Republican principles.

Odds Lengthen on Taft.
If betting odds serve as a barometer Mr. Taft must be making fast headway just now against Mr. Bryan. Taft's odds have lengthened on Mr. Taft and are now 2-1 to 3-1 and 4-1. This was the quotation at which bets were made in Wall Street October 14. In spite of the objectionable criterion betting odds in elections is a pretty accurate measure of the relative strength of the candidates. Many people might be willing to make affidavit of opinion, but money actually wagered comes nearer the real views entertained.

NURSES MEET.
FAIRMONT, Oct. 14.—The annual convention of the West Virginia Trained Nurses' Association opened here last evening. After the visitors were registered a reception was held at Cook's hospital. Mrs. K. C. Lounsbury of Charleston, president of the association, and Mrs. M. H. Kendall, head nurse at the Cook hospital, vice-president, received the guests. Today a program of very interesting addresses will be carried out.

SWEET MELODY FLOUR.

CHAMPIONS

Of the World Are Chicago Cubs Again by Defeating Detroit 2 to 0.

DETROIT, Mich., Oct. 15.—The Cubs shut out the Tigers yesterday afternoon by a score of 2 to 0, giving them a fourth victory and championship of the world. The Chicago club is the only team that has ever won the world's championship twice in succession.

Donovan and Overall were pitted against each other as pitchers and it was a walkover for the man from Chicago. He held the Tigers down to three hits and struck out nine batters. As the Cubs seemed to have such a walkover two days ago, the crowd dwindled to less than 5,000, the smallest crowd that ever witnessed a world's championship series. The score:

Detroit 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 3 0

Chicago 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 2 9 0

Donovan and Schmidt; Overall and Kling.

Bryan's Trust "Remedy."
Apart from Bryan's acknowledgment that it would take him about two years, even with a friendly house of representatives, to begin to do anything in the way of inflicting his "vagaries," as Governor Hughes calls them, on the American people, his scheme for "preventing" trusts has attracted most attention during his late visit to New York. Bryan and the Democratic platform propose to "prevent" trusts by prohibiting any corporation from doing more than 50 per cent of the domestic business in any particular line. That is, one corporation could appropriate for itself only one-half of the home market.

Even were such a restriction constitutional and practicable there would be nothing to stop another corporation under the same control from doing the other 50 per cent of the business. The scheme would, however, be utterly impracticable. Say John Jones and John Smith own a patent for manufacturing an article that comes into general demand. They have a monopoly of all the business in that line in the United States. Does Bryan propose to compel them to part with half their business to Bryan and a following of "grifters" waiting for such chances? Of course Jones and Smith would not do it, and no court in America would order them to do it. Bryan, being a lawyer, ought to know that the business of any concern is a valuable asset, treated as property by the courts and bought and sold as property. If conducted in a lawful manner the business is legitimate, no matter how enormous.

The extent of a business does not constitute a wrong, provided the business has been acquired by methods not in violation of law and equity. Whether a business be great or small, if conducted in an illegal manner, those guilty of the illegal acts should be punished. Bryan and the Bryan platform assume that because a business is a monopoly—and, as we have pointed out, the manufacture and sale of every patented article is a monopoly—half of that business should be confiscated.

Remarkable how Bryan and his platforms stick to the 50 per cent confiscation programme! He wanted to take 50 per cent off the value of every dollar of American money twelve and eight years ago, and now he wants to take away 50 per cent of the business of any one who has a monopoly, even though it may be only a patented toy or toothpick.

It may be assumed that Bryan sees the absurdity of it all himself and knows that he is simply trying to fool his hearers into believing that he really means to do something terrible to the trusts if the people will give him a chance. He is mistaken, however. The people are not such fools as he thinks; they are not so readily deceived, and the count of votes on the night of Nov. 3 will remind him sharply that it is no easier to mislead the American electorate now than it was in 1896 and 1900. If Bryan means what he says, he would be as dangerous in the White House as a Moro running amuck in an American garison in the Philippines. If Bryan does not mean what he says, he is a humbug and a charlatan. In either case the only course for the self-respecting voter is to give his ballot for Taft, whose public career is his platform and whose principles are as honestly entertained as they are sound and consistent.

BARNES FUNERAL.

The funeral and burial of Harvey Barnes, killed in a boiler explosion yesterday, will take place at Cherry Camp Run tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Herman B. Davis was here from Salem Thursday. George Williams, of Marshville, spent Thursday here.

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